



Institution
of
The Rev'd Canon W. Gordon Reid
as
XVII Rector of S. Clement's Church
Philadelphia
by
The Rt Rev'd The Bishop of Pennsylvania



Thursday, 11th March 2004
Seven o'clock in the evening

S. Clement's Church

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Sundays

Mattins 7.30

Low Mass 8.00

High Mass & Sermon 11.00

Solemn Vespers & Benediction 4.00

Weekdays

Low Mass 7.00

(Saturday 10.00)

Evensong & Novena 5.30

Confessions: Sat. 5-5.30 & by appointment

ORGAN & STRINGS – Sonata in F, K 224

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

At the Reception of the Bishop

ANTIPHON – *Sacerdos et Pontifex*

O priest and bishop, thou worker of all virtues, good shepherd of thy people, pray for us unto the Lord.

CANTICLE – Benedictus

Sir Edward Elgar

RESPONSORY – *Ecce Sacerdos magnus*

Elgar

Ecce sacerdos magnus, qui in diebus suis placuit
Deo: Ideo iurejurando fecit Dominus crescere in
plebem suam ¶ Benedictionem omnium gentium
dedit fili, et testamentum suum confirmavit super
caput ejus. Ideo... Gloria... Ideo...

Behold, a great prelate, who in his days was
pleasing unto God. Therefore with an oath the
Lord that made him to increase among his people.
¶ He hath given unto him the blessing of all
nations: and hath confirmed his covenant upon his
own head. Therefore... ¶ Glory be...
Therefore...

THE INSTITUTION: Presentation of the Candidate

Wardens: Bishop Bennison, we have come together today to welcome William Gordon Reid, who has been chosen to serve as Rector of Saint Clement's Church. We believe that he is well qualified, and that he has been prayerfully and lawfully selected.

Bishop: William Gordon Reid, do you in the presence of this congregation, commit yourself to this new trust and responsibility?

Candidate: I do.

Bishop: Will you who witness this new beginning support and uphold William Gordon Reid in this ministry?

People: We will.

Bishop: Let us then offer our prayers to God for all his people, for this congregation, and for William Gordon Reid, their Rector.

Kyrie eleison. Christe eleison. Kyrie eleison.

¶ The Lord be with you.

℟ And with thy spirit.

Let us pray.

EVERLIVING God, strengthen and sustain Gordon, that with patience and understanding he may love and care for thy people; and grant that together they may follow Jesus Christ, offering to thee their gifts and talents; through him who livest and reignest with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

HYMN

Abbott's Leigh

Great S. Clement, Holy Patron,
Of Christ's flock a shepherd true,
Watching o'er the first beginnings
Of the early Church's few:
Following in the steps of Peter,
Bishop of the Church in Rome,
Still watch over all thy children,
Journeying to their heavenly home.

2 Great S. Clement in thy writings,
Teaching us humility,
Warning 'gainst internal fightings,
Preaching love and charity,
Call us now to true repentance
Of our sins which still oppress,
That with generous acceptance,
We may grow to holiness.

3 Great S. Clement in thy visions,
Which thou sawest when in prayer,
Witnessing the Lamb in glory,
On the holy Mount displayed,
Show us now that Holy Fountain,
Living Water, giv'n to all,
Jesus Christ, who at our Baptism
Bids us hear his glorious call.

4 Great S. Clement in thy passion,
Cast into the stormy waves,
Cruelly tied to heavy anchor,
Blessed by God with wondrous grave,
Help us now as fears surround us,
Give us courage from above,
That when faced with hate and violence,
We may live the law of love.

5 Great S. Clement now in glory,
Giv'n the martyr's crown and palm,
Hear the prayers of all thy children,
Keep our Church from things that harm.
Pray for us to God the Father,
Son and Spirit ever one.
Pray for rest for souls departed.
Pray that here God's will be done. Amen.

At the Mass

INTROIT – *Dicit Dóminus*

DICIT Dóminus: Sermónes méi, quos dedi
in os túum, non deficient de ore túo: et
múnera túa accépta érunť super altáre
méum. *Ps. 102.* Beátus vir qui tímet Dóminum: in
mandátis éjus vólet nimis. *℣.* Glória Pátri... Dicit
Dóminus...

THUS said the Lord: My words which I
have put in thy mouth, shall not depart out
of thy mouth; and thy gifts shall be
accepted upon mine altar. *Psalm 102.* Blessed is
the man that feareth the Lord: he hath great
delight in his commandments. *℣.* Glory be...
Thus saith the Lord...

KYRIE ELEISON – Missa Brevis in C, K 220

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

Mozart

COLLECTS

OVERLASTING Shepherd, look down in mercy on thy flock: and as thou didst choose blessed
Clement thy Martyr and Supreme Pontiff to be pastor and ruler of thy Church; so at his intercession
defend it with thy continual protection. Through. *Amen.*

GRANT to us, Lord, we beseech thee, the help of thy grace; that we, being devoutly given to fasting
and prayer, may be delivered from all enemies of body and soul. Through. *Amen.*

EPISTLE

Philippians 3.17

The Lesson from the Epistle of blessed Paul the Apostle to the Philippians.

BRETHREN: Be followers together of me, and mark them which walk so as ye have us for an
ensample. (For many walk, of whom I have told you often, and now tell you even weeping, that they
are the enemies of the cross of Christ: whose end is destruction, whose god is their belly, and whose glory
is in their shame, who mind earthly things.) For our conversation is in heaven; from whence also we look
for the Saviour, the Lord Jesus Christ, who shall change our vile body, that it may be fashioned like unto
his glorious body, according to the working whereby he is able even to subdue all things unto himself.
Therefore, my brethren dearly beloved and longed for, my joy and crown: so stand fast in the Lord, my
dearly beloved. I beseech Euodias, and beseech Syntyche, that they be of the same mind in the Lord. And
I entreat thee also, true yoke-fellow, help those women which laboured with me in the Gospel, with
Clement also, and with other my fellow labourers, whose names are in the book of life.

GRADUAL – *Exaltent eum*

Exáltent éum in ecclésia plébis: et in cáthedra
seniórurúm láudent éum. V. Confiteántur Dómino
misericórdiæ éjus; et mirábíliá ejus filiis
hóminum.

Let them exalt him in the congregation of the
people: and praise him in the seat of the elders. V.
O that men would praise the Lord for his
goodness: and declare the wonders that he doeth
for the children of men.

TRACT – *Annuntiavi justitiam*

Annuntiávi justítiam túam in ecclésia mágna, ecce
lábia méa non prohibébo: Dómine, tu scisti. V.
Justítiam túam non abscondi in corde méo:
veritátem túam et salutáre túum dixi. V. Non
abscondi misericórdiam túam et veritátem túam a
concílio múlto.

I have declared thy righteousness in the great
congregation, lo, I will not refrain my lips, O
Lord, and that thou knowest. V. I have not hid thy
righteousness within my heart: my talk hath been
of thy truth and thy salvation. V. I have not kept
back thy loving mercy and truth from the great
congregation.

THE HOLY GOSPEL

S. Matthew 16.13

AT that time: Jesus came into the coasts of Caesarea Philippi, and asked his disciples, saying: Whom
do men say that I, the Son of man am? And they said: Some say that thou art John the Baptist, some
Elias, and others Jeremias, or one of the Prophets. He saith unto them: But whom say ye that I am? And
Simon Peter answered and said: Thou art the Christ, the son of the living God. And Jesus answered and
said unto him: Blessed art thou, Simon Bar-Jona: for flesh and blood hath not revealed it unto thee, but
my Father which is in heaven. And I say also unto thee, That thou art Peter, and upon this rock I will
build my Church, and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it. And I will give unto thee the keys of
the kingdom of heaven. And whatsoever thou shalt bind on earth, shall be bound in heaven: and
whatsoever thou shalt loose on earth, shall be loosed in heaven.

HYMN

Hereford

O Thou who camest from above,
The pure celestial fire to impart,
Kindle a flame of sacred love
On the mean altar of my heart.

3 Jesus, confirm my heart's desire
To work, and speak, and think for thee;
Still let me guard the holy fire,
And still stir up thy gift in me.

2 There let it for thy glory burn
With inextinguishable blaze,
And trembling to its source return
In humble prayer, and fervent praise.

4 Ready for all thy perfect will,
My acts of faith and love repeat,
Till death thy endless mercies seal,
And make my sacrifice complete.

SERMON

Bishop Montgomery

INSTITUTION OF THE RECTOR: The Induction

Senior Warden: In the name of Saint Clement's Church, I, John Thomas Lilley, acknowledge you, William
Gordon Reid, as Priest and Rector of the same, and in token thereof give into your hands the keys of this
Church.

New Rector: I, William Gordon Reid, receive these keys of the House of God at your hands, as the pledge of my
institution, and of your recognition, and I promise to be a faithful shepherd over you, in the Name of the
Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost.

Bishop: Receive these Books; and let them be the rule of thy conduct in dispensing the divine Word, in leading
the devotions of the people, and in exercising the discipline of the Church; and be thou in all things a
pattern to the flock committed to thy care.

New Rector:

O LORD my God, I am not worthy to have thee come under my roof; yet thou hast called thy servant to stand in thy house, and to serve at thy altar. To thee and to thy service I devote myself, body, soul, and spirit. Fill my memory with the record of thy mighty works; enlighten my understanding with the light of thy Holy Spirit; and may all the desires of my heart and will center in what thou wouldst have me do. Make me an instrument of thy salvation for the people entrusted to my care, and grant that I may faithfully administer thy holy Sacraments, and by my life and teaching set forth thy true and living Word. Be always with me in carrying out the duties of my ministry. In prayer, quicken my devotion; in praises, heighten my love and gratitude; in preaching, give me readiness of thought and expression; and grant that, by the clearness and brightness of thy holy Word, all the world may be drawn into thy blessed kingdom. All this I ask for the sake of thy Son our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

Bishop: Greet your new Rector.

New Rector: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And with thy spirit.

CREDO

Mozart

OFFERTORY – *Ecce dedi verba*

Ecce dedi verba mea in ore tuo: ecce constitui te super gentes et super regna; ut evellas et destruas, et aedifices et plantes.

Behold, I have put my words in thy mouth: See, I have set thee over the nations and over the kingdoms, to pull down, and to destroy, and to build up and to plant.

HYMN

Thornbury

Thy hand, O God, has guided
Thy flock from age to age;
The wondrous tale is written,
Full clear, on every page;
Our fathers owned thy goodness,
And we their deeds record;
And both of this bear witness,
One Church, one Faith, one Lord.

2 Thy heralds brought glad tidings
To greatest, as to least;
They bade men rise, and hasten
To share the great King's feast;
And this was all their teaching,
In every deed and word,
To all alike proclaiming
One Church, one Faith, one Lord.

3 Through many a day of darkness,
Through many a scene of strife,
The faithful few fought bravely
To guard the nation's life.
Their gospel of redemption,
Sin pardoned, man restored,
Was all in this enfolded,
One Church, one Faith, one Lord.

4 And we, shall we be faithless?
Shall hearts fail, hands hang down?
Shall we evade the conflict,
And cast away our crown?
Now so: in God's deep counsels
Some better thing is stored;
We will maintain, unflinching,
One Church, one Faith, one Lord.

5 Thy mercy will not fail us,
Nor leave thy work undone;
With thy right hand to help us,
The victory shall be won;
And then, by men and angels,
Thy name shall be adored,
And this shall be their anthem,
One Church, one Faith, one Lord.

PREFACE OF ALL SAINTS

SANCTUS & BENEDICTUS

Mozart

CANON OF THE MASS

OUR FATHER

THE PAX

COMMUNION – *Tu es Petrus*

Tu es Pétrus, et super hanc pétram ædificábo
Ecclésiám méam.

Thou art Peter, and upon this rock I will build my
Church.

MOTET – *Ave verum Corpus*

Ave vérum Córpus, nátum Ex María Virgine,
Vere pássum, immolátum; In crúce pro hómíne.
Cújus látus perforátum Vero flúxit aqua et
sánguine; Esto nóbis prægustátum, mórtis in
exámíne. O Jésu dúlcis! O Jésu píe! O Jésu fili
Maríæ.

Hail, true body, born of the Virgin Mary; Thou
who truly hangedst weary upon the cross for sons
of earth; Thou whose sacred side was riven,
whence the stream of water and blood didst flow;
O may'st thou, dear Lord be given at death's hour
to be my food. O tender, O loving, O Jesu, Son of
Mary.

Mozart

HYMN

In days of yore through Rome's fair streets
A saint of God was dragged to die,
Willing to suffer bonds and death,
Sooner than his dear Lord deny.

2 A Bishop was that holy Saint
Clement by name, right valiantly,
He fought the fight of faith below
Until God called him forth to die.

3 And down to Pontus' ancient isle
The Saint of God was hurried fast,
Around his neck an anchor bound,
And in the sea to drown was cast.

4 Down, down, into the deep he sank,
That valiant Martyr, Saint so blest,
His body lies beneath the flood
His soul in Paradise doth rest.

5 He rests, but, on the last great day
The sea shall render up her dead,
And Christ in heaven's high courts above
Shall place a crown upon his head.

6 O happy rest, O sweetest peace,
For him whose name while yet he strove
Was written in the Book of Life;
Laid up before God's Throne above.

7 O Lord to us Thy servants give,
The anchor of a hope most blest,
And grant us at S. Clement's prayer,
To gain from Thee eternal rest.

8 All praise to God the Father be,
All praise Eternal Son to Thee,
All praise forever as is meet
To God the Holy Paraclete. Amen.

Deus tuorum militum

POSTCOMMUNION COLLECTS

MERCIFUL Lord, we beseech thee to govern and preserve thy Church, which thou hast here
refreshed with heavenly food: that by the guiding of thy mighty power it may serve thee in more
abundant freedom, and ever keep thy true religion whole and undefiled. Through. *Amen.*

WE beseech thee, O Lord, that we thy servants, never failing of the succour of thy grace, may be
devoutly given to thy holy service and stablished by thy continual help. Through. *Amen.*

DISMISSAL

℣. Ite, Missa est.

℟.



PONTIFICAL BLESSING

℣. Our help is in the Name of the Lord.
℟. Who hath made heaven and earth.
℣. Blessed be the Name of the Lord.
℟. From this time forth for evermore.
The Blessing.

In our day of thanksgiving one psalm let us offer
 For the saints who before us have found their reward;
 When the shadow of death fell upon them, we sorrowed,
 But now we rejoice that they rest in the Lord.

2 In the morning of life, and at noon, and at even,
 He called them away from our worship below;
 But not till his love, at the font and the altar,
 Had girt them with grace for the way they should go.

3 These stones that have echoed their praises are holy,
 And dear is the ground where their feet have once trod;
 Yet here they confessed they were strangers and pilgrims,
 And still they were seeking the city of God.

4 Sing praise then, for all who here sought and here found him,
 Whose journey is ended, whose perils are past:
 They believed in the Light; and its glory is round them,
 Where the clouds of earth's sorrow are lifted at last.

5 In the presence of Jesus the Saints are in glory,
 Who have known him and loved him, and served him below:
 Their reward is with him to be happy for ever
 And to follow the Lamb wheresoe'er he may go.

6 Blessed Saints in the presence of Jesus for ever,
 Be mindful of us who here struggle below;
 Intercede for your brethren, who linger in exile,
 That on them life eternal their God may bestow.

ORGAN – Marche Pontificale

Charles-Marie Widor



Notes

We welcome our visitors. We are happy to have you worship with us this evening. Please make yourselves known to the clergy and people and please sign the guest book in the Narthex.

We also welcome The Rt Rev'd Charles E. Bennison, Jr, Bishop of Pennsylvania, who is instituting Canon Reid, and The Rt Rev'd James W. Montgomery, Sometime Bishop of Chicago, who is our guest preacher. In addition we welcome Bishop Edward Luscumbe, formerly Bishop of Brechin and Primus of the Scottish Episcopal Church and other visitors from the United Kingdom.

Everyone is invited to attend a Reception on the second floor of the Parish House following the Mass this evening.

Flowers at the Shrine of Our Lady of Clemency are given to the Glory of God in Honour of the Blessed Virgin Mary by members of the Society of Mary.

Sunday, 21st March: Rose Sunday Eucharistic Quiet Day, beginning with the First Meditation, 10.30 a.m.; High Mass in the Presence of the Blessed Sacrament Exposed, 11.00 a.m. followed by a Silent Luncheon; Second Meditation, 2.00 p.m.; Third Meditation, 3.00 p.m. and ending with Solemn Vespers & Benediction, 4.00 p.m.

Thursday, 25th March: Annunciation BVM. Procession & High Mass, 7.00 p.m. *Charpentier*, Missa 'Assumpta est Maria' (with strings).